

In the Claims:

1. (Previously Presented) A stomatic composition characterised in that it comprises particles of hydroxyapatite with an average particle size in length (l), width (d) and thickness (h) of: (l) from about 0.2  $\mu\text{m}$  to about 0.01  $\mu\text{m}$ , (d) from about 0.1  $\mu\text{m}$  to about 0.001  $\mu\text{m}$ , and (h) from about 0.1  $\mu\text{m}$  to about 0.0001  $\mu\text{m}$  with the particles of hydroxyapatite having a specific surface of hydroxyapatite from 100  $\text{m}^2/\text{g}$  to 150  $\text{m}^2/\text{g}$ .
2. (Previously Presented) The stomatic composition according to claim 1 characterised in that it comprises particles of hydroxyapatite with an average particle size in length (l), width (d) and thickness (h) of about (l) = 0.06  $\mu\text{m}$  +/- 50%, (d) = 0.015  $\mu\text{m}$  +/- 50% and (h) = 0.005  $\mu\text{m}$  +/- 50%.
3. (Previously Presented) The stomatic composition according to claim 1 characterised in that it comprises particles of hydroxyapatite with an average particle size in length (l), width (d) and thickness (h) of about (l) = 0.06  $\mu\text{m}$ , (d) = 0.015  $\mu\text{m}$ , (h) = 0.005  $\mu\text{m}$ .
- 4 (Previously Cancelled)
- 5 (Cancelled). ~~The stomatic composition according to claim 1 characterized in that it comprises said hydroxyapatite particles ultra finely divided.~~
- 6 (Currently Amended). The composition according to claim 1 characterised in that the ~~ultra finely divided~~ hydroxyapatite particles are present in the composition in an amount of 0.1% to 50% by weight, based on the weight of the stomatic composition.
- 7 (Currently Amended). The composition according to claim 1 characterised in that the ~~ultra finely, divided~~ hydroxyapatite is a synthetic hydroxyapatite which contains 99.9% of  $\text{Ca}_{10}(\text{PQ}_4)_6(\text{OH})_2$  by weight.

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8 (Currently Amended). The composition according to claim 1 further characterised by at least one ~~substance of the group consisting of~~ substance selected from the group consisting of

- humectants in a range from about 0% to 85% by weight,
- ~~bindings~~ binders and thickeners in a range of 0% to 10% by weight,
- abrasive materials in a range from 0.0% to 25%,
- ~~S~~ surfactants in a range from 0% to 5% by weight,
- ~~F~~ flavours in a range from 0% to 5% by weight.

9 (Currently Amended). The composition according to claim 1 further characterised by agents enhancing the gingivitis ~~system~~ treating agents of the mouth cavity and comprising extracts of natural plants including ~~at least one of~~ member selected from the group consisting of urtica, millefolium, chamomilla hypericum, salvia, ~~etc.~~ in the an aqueous and in the an aqueous-alcoholic form.

10 (Previously Presented). The composition according to claim 1 further characterised by effective amounts of anti-microbial and anti-plaque agents.

11. (Currently Amended) A stomatic composition comprising particles of hydroxyapatite with an average particle size in length (l), width (d) and thickness (h) of: (l) from about 0.2  $\mu\text{m}$  to about 0.01  $\mu\text{m}$ , (d) from about 0.1  $\mu\text{m}$  to about 0.001  $\mu\text{m}$ , and (h) from about 0.1  $\mu\text{m}$  to about 0.0001  $\mu\text{m}$ , and effective amounts of gingivitis ~~system~~ treating agents of the mouth cavity comprising extracts of natural plants including at least one of the group consisting of urtica, millefolium, chamomilla hypericum, and salvia, in an aqueous or an aqueous-alcoholic form.